



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
GROUP 1742

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

HAJIME IKUNO, ET AL.

SERIAL NO: 10/620,388

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FOR: PISTON MADE OF ALUMINUM
CAST ALLOY AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

: EXAMINER: MORILLO, J.

: GROUP ART UNIT: 1742

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Final Rejection dated October 19, 2006, please amend the
application identified above as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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